

FISCAL NOTE

HB 1726 - SB 1805

April 10, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Removes the requirement that a sheriff consult with the county executive or county mayor before designating a secondary transportation agent for the transport of persons with mental illness or serious emotional disturbance. Requires counties to pay the cost of training on mental health crisis management for transportation agents and sheriffs' personnel conducted by the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate assumes:

- training sessions to be held in each of the seven mental health planning regions of the state with expenses for staff time, travel and materials.
- an increase in expenditures to local governments for the costs of the training and an increase in state revenues from payments by local governments for such training. These increases are estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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